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Lib. J. R. to appeal under the usual Limitations and Restrictions, to Us & U.S. in Our Privy Council, We have also thought fit with the Advice of Our Privy Council as aforesaid, to give unto the Governors and Councils of Our said three new Colonies upon the Continent, full Power and Authority to Settle and Agree with the Inhabitants of Our said New Colonies, or with any other Persons who shall resort thereto, for such Lands, Tenements, & Hereditaments, as are now, or hereafter shall be in Our Power to dispose of, and them to grant to any such Person or Persons, upon such Terms, and under such moderate Quit Rents Services, and Acknowledgments as have been appointed and Settled in Our other Colonies, and under such other Conditions as shall appear to us to be necessary and Expedient for the Advantage of the Grantees, and the Improvement and Settlement of Our said Colonies, And Whereas we are desirous, upon all Occasions, to testify Our Royal Sense and Approbation of the Conduct or Bravery of the Officers and Soldiers of Our Armies, and to reward the same we do hereby command and impower Our Governors of Our said three New Colonies, and all other Our Governors of Our Several Provinces on the Continent of North America, to grant, without fee or Reward, to such Reduced Officers as have Served in North America during the late War, and to such Private Soldiers as have been or shall be disbanded in America, and are Actually residing there, and shall Personally apply for the same, the following Quantities of Land, Subject at the Expiration of Ten years to the same Quit-Rents as other Lands are Subject to in the Province within which they are granted, as also Subject to the same Conditions of Cultivation and Improvement, vizt To every Person having the Rank of a Field Officer, five Thousand Acres. To every Captain Three Thousand Acres. To every Subaltern or Staff Officer, Two Thousand Acres. To every Non-Commission Officer, Two hundred Acres. To every Private Man fifty Acres, We do likewise authorize and require the Governors and Commanders in Chief of all Our said Colonies upon the Continent of North America to grant the like Quantities of Land, and upon the same Conditions to such Reduced Officers of Our Navy, of like Rank, as Served on board Our Ships of War in North America at the times of the Reduction of Louisbourg and Quebec in the late War, and who shall Personally apply to Our Respective Governors for such grants. And Whereas it is just and Reasonable, and essential to Our Interest and the Security of Our Colonies, that the Several Nations or Tribes of Indians With whom We are connected, and who live under Our Protection, should not be Molested or disturbed in the